

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Planning Department – Constitution of **Group of Secretaries** (GoS) for convergence in **Industry Sector**-Orders - Issued

PLANNING (XVIII) DEPARTMENT

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ORDER:

Government recently issued orders constituting Groups of Secretaries (GoS) for better convergence in the Primary sector, Road sector, Social sector and Rural and Urban Infrastructure Development for Poverty Eradication. Studies suggested that growth in Agriculture sector substantially pushes growth in Industries sector and in fact every 1 percent addition to agriculture growth stimulates an additional 0.5 percent growth in Industry, reflecting strong forward linkage.

2. Several schemes for improvement of industrial growth which is recognized as a pre-requisite for propelling the overall economic growth are being implemented in the State. It would be essential to ensure that necessary physical infrastructure such as energy, road connectivity and water resources is in place for accelerated growth in the industry sector and for creating investor-friendly environment. A coordinated action plan for identified growth engines in Industry sector is required through convergence of various departments and schemes during the 12th Plan. Regular and systematic monitoring of various related outcomes through Result Framework Document Model is recognized as the key requirement for effective implementation of various programmes.

3. As already Group of Secretaries for convergence in Primary sector is constituted, in the recent review meeting on the implementation of the GoI developmental Programmes, it is decided to constitute a Group of Secretaries for Convergence in Industrial sector to achieve the above objectives.

4. Accordingly, Government after careful examination of the issue, hereby constitute a Group of Secretaries (GoS) for **convergence in Industry Sector** covering the aforesaid programmes, with the **Chief Secretary as its Chairperson** and with the following members:

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1	Prl. Secretary to Govt., Industries and Commerce Dept.	Member-Convener
2	Prl. Secretary to Govt. Industries (Mines& Textiles) Dept.	Member
3	Prl. Secretary to Govt., Infrastructure and Investment	Member
4	Principal Secretary to Govt., Revenue Department	Member
5	Principal Secretary to Govt., Energy Department	Member
6	Principal Secretary to Govt., Irrigation Department	Member
7	Principal Secretary to Govt., Planning Department	Member
8	Principal Secretary to Govt., R & B Department	Member
9	Prl. Secretary to Govt., Finance Department	Member
10	Prl. Secretary to Govt., Labour, Employment, Training & Factories Department	Member
11	Prl. Secretary to Govt., GA(GPM&AR) department	Member
12	Secretary to Govt. Industries (Food Processing & MSME) Department	Member
13	VC & MD, AP Industrial Infrastructure Corporation	Member
14	MD, A.P. Trade Promotion Corporation	Member
15	MD, NBPL, Tirupati	Member
16	MD, Rajiv Education & Employment Mission A.P & Ex-officio Secretary, PR & RD	Member
17	Member Secretary, A.P. Pollution Control Board	Member
18	Convener, State Level Bankers' Committee	Member
19	Representatives from the FAPCCI	Member
20	Representatives from the CII	Member
21	Representatives from the FAPSIA	Member
22	Representatives from the FICCI	Member

5. SCOPE

(I) Improvement in outcome indicators as per the best of States in India in areas like :

- a. Creating enabling environment to attract industrial investments, especially under PPP mode.
- b. Facilitation for setting up of new Micro & Small and Medium Enterprises(MSMEs) including Food Processing Industries and establishment of Mega & Mini Foods parks
- c. Creation of industrial clusters- Pharma, Leather, Powerloom, Marine etc.
- d. Develop infrastructure facilities.
- e. Expansion/diversification of existing industries
- f. Generation of employment opportunities in rural areas and urban areas through self employment ventures.
- g. To evolve appropriate strategies for ensuring adequate Power and Water supply to industries.
- h. Promotion of National Manufacturing Investment Zones (NMIZ) and Industrial Corridors to capitalize the locally available resources and strengths like availability of Natural Gas and Ports, Road network, rail linkages for accelerating growth of manufacturing industries.
- i. Setting up of natural gas trunk pipe-lines through state grid.

(II) Analysis of the existing data leading to convergence of Industries and Commerce, Irrigation, Revenue, Energy, Finance, R & B, MA & UD and Infrastructure and Investment departments and its maintenance.

- (III) Assessment of manpower requirements for various sectors of industry.
 - (IV) Initiate capacity building to meet the needs of industry
 - (V) Establishment of SPIU in the line departments and networking with professional organizations.
 - (VI) The possibilities of propelling the growth through evolving and putting in place effective monitoring mechanisms.
 - (VII) Preparation of the Result Framework Document
 - (VIII) Identify the monthly outputs to be achieved and establish a system for monitoring the quarterly progress of the output.
 - (IX) To utilize the services of professional organizations like CESS etc. to conduct evaluation studies in addition to the ongoing monitoring of activities done by respective departments and Social audits.
 - (X) Preparation of GIS based Industrial map for the state.
6. The Group can invite the Secretaries of other departments/NGOs/other reputed organizations/any other professional consultants etc. having related field level experience as special invitees for the meeting on need basis.
7. The Group shall meet as frequently as possible and have interactions with the district administration also. The Group shall submit its suggestions to the Government and review the progress from time to time.
8. The Principal Secretary to Government, Industries Department, and Member-convenor of the Group constituted at para 4 above, is requested to take further action accordingly and initiate meetings of the Group.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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Chief Secretary to Government

To
All the members concerned.

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All the District Collectors.
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